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Tracey,

Please find attached documents for execution for the above application. I would appreciate you signing and returning to me as soon as possible.

My contact details are: Ms Lucy Poignand  
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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any concerns or cannot sign the documents.

Regards,

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-----Original Message-----

From: Keselman, Irene [mailto:Irene.Keselman@BAKERNET.com]  
Sent: Tuesday, 16 April 2002 3:45 AM  
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Lucy,

Enclosed is a Declaration and an Assignment to be executed by the inventors. Please have the forms signed by the inventors and then forward the original, signed documents to us for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at your earliest convenience. The deadline to file the Missing Parts is May 14, 2002.

Thank you,  
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Patent Paralegal

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## **DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship is as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if more than one name is listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **REMOVAL OF BIOLOGICAL CONTAMINANTS**, the specification of which was filed on January 2, 2002, as a U.S Patent Application No. 10/037,004.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

### **PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)**

Application No.:	Country:	Filing Date:	Certified Copy Attached?
<b>PP7906</b>	<b>AU</b>	<b>12/23/1998</b>	<b>NO</b>

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §§ 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

### **PRIOR PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S)**

Application Number	Filing Date
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- None -

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 120, of any United States application(s) listed below or under § 365(c) of any PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America listed below, and insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

#### PARENT APPLICATION(S)

Application No.:	Country:	Filing Date:	Certified Copy Attached?
09/877,371	US	06/22/2001	NO
09/470,823	US	12/23/1999	NO

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And I hereby appoint James David Jacobs (Reg. No. 24,299) and Frank M. Gasparo (Reg. No. 44,700) as my attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Please address all communications regarding this application to:

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Please direct all telephone calls to Eunhee Park at (212) 751-5700.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my/our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful and false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I/We,

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**Thomas Norman Turton**  
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have made certain new and useful inventions and discoveries, for which I/we have filed an application for Letters Patent entitled **REMOVAL OF BIOLOGICAL CONTAMINANTS**, the specification of which was filed on January 2, 2002 as a United States Patent Application No. 10/037,004, and

WHEREAS, **Gradipore Limited** having a place of business at 22 Rodborough Road, P.O. Box 6126, Frenchs Forest NSW, 2086 Australia, and who, together with its successors and assigns, is hereinafter called "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the title, rights, benefits, and privileges hereinafter recited,

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), lawful money of the United States, and other valuable consideration furnished by Assignee to me/us, receipt and sufficiency of which I/we hereby acknowledge, I/we hereby, without reservations:

1. Assign, transfer, and convey to Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to said inventions and discoveries, said application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, any and all other applications for Letters Patent on said inventions and discoveries in whatsoever countries, including all divisional, renewal, substitute, continuation, and Convention applications based in whole or in part upon said inventions or discoveries, or upon said applications, and any and all Letters Patent, reissues, and extensions of Letters Patent granted for said inventions and discoveries or upon said applications, and every priority right that is or may be predicated upon or arise from said inventions, said discoveries, said applications, and said Letters Patent.

2. Authorize Assignee to file patent applications in any or all countries for any or all of said inventions and discoveries in my/our name(s) or in the name of Assignee or otherwise as Assignee may deem advisable, under the International Convention or otherwise.

3. Authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States of America and the empowered officials of all other governments to issue or transfer all said Letters Patent to Assignee, as assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein or otherwise as Assignee may direct.

4. Warrant that I/we have not knowingly conveyed to others any right in said inventions, discoveries, applications, or patents or any license to use the same or to make, use, or sell anything embodying or utilizing any of said inventions or discoveries; and that I/we have good right to assign the same to Assignee without encumbrance.

5. Bind my/our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, as well as myself/ourselves, to do, upon Assignee's request and at Assignee's expense, but without

additional consideration to me/us or them, all acts reasonably serving to assure that the said inventions and discoveries, the said patent applications, and the said Letters Patent shall be held and enjoyed by Assignee as fully and entirely as the same could have been held and enjoyed by me/us, my/our heirs, legal representatives, and assigns if this assignment had not been made; and particularly to execute and deliver to Assignee all lawful application documents including petitions, specifications, and oaths, and all assignments, disclaimers, and lawful affidavits in form and substance as may be requested by Assignee; to communicate to Assignee all facts known to me/us relating to said inventions and discoveries or the history thereof; and to furnish Assignee with any and all documents, photographs, models, samples, and other physical exhibits in my/our control or in the control of my/our heirs, legal representatives, or assigns which may be useful for establishing the facts of my/our conceptions, disclosures, and reduction to practice of said inventions and discoveries.

Executed on the date indicated below.

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**Brendon Conlan**

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